

Telemarketers abused consumers to the extent that consumers like my wife and me, turned off our phones in the evenings, prior to the "Do not call" registry. That meant that our family and friends were unable to reach us, even in the event of emergencies.

Organizations developed that intimidated consumers, such as the telemarketing organization that sells donations to the Indiana State Police, etc. The obvious implications of their pitch- (1)Your police dept. knows if you don't donate, and (2)If you have our sticker on your car, you will receive favorable treatment.

Telemarketers turned their own industry into a sewer, and now they complain about the smell. I cannot think of a redeeming reason to allow telemarketing for any product, including insurance and newspapers.

Our attorney general is a hero for finally bringing peace to our home in the evening. Please don't allow us to return to telemarketing hell.

As a side note, I will record the name of any business that contacts me through telemarketers, and NEVER do business with it.

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